

Inver Hills Community College

ENG 2250: Special Topics in Literature

A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 3

Lecture Hours/Week: 3

Lab Hours/Week: 0

OJT Hours/Week: *.*

Prerequisites:

This course requires any of these seven prerequisite categories

1. READ 0093 - Reading College Texts (Minimum grade: 1.67 GPA Equivalent)
Or
2. READ 0093 - Reading College Texts (Minimum grade: 1.67 GPA Equivalent)
Or
3. READ 0094 - Reading Workshop (Minimum grade: 1.67 GPA Equivalent)
Or
4. READ 0094 - Reading Workshop (Minimum grade: 1.67 GPA Equivalent)
Or
5. A score of 78 on test Accuplacer Reading Comprehension
Or
6. A score of 250 on test Accuplacer NG Reading
Or
7. A score of 250 on test Accuplacer NG COMP Reading

Corequisites: None

MnTC Goals: Goal 06 - Humanities/Fine Arts

Examines a prominent theme, figure, period, or genre in literature. Topics will be determined in advance by the instructor and published in the class schedule. Prereq: Placement into Eng 1108 or completion of both ENG 0099 and READ 0093/0094 with a grade of C or higher. This course may be repeated under different topics.

B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES: 01/01/1998 - Present

C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

1. Key issues, themes and tensions within the special topic: 60%
2. Various approaches to literary interpretation: 40%

D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)

1. Demonstrate understanding of the special topic
2. Articulate and explain key issues, themes and tensions within the special topic
3. Apply principles outlined in assignments with language appropriate to academic discipline
4. Demonstrate a knowledge of readings through quizzes, essays or creative projects

E. Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal Area(s) and Competencies

Goal 06 - Humanities/Fine Arts

1. Demonstrate awareness of the scope and variety of works in the arts and humanities.
2. Understand those works as expressions of individual and human values within an historical and social context.
3. Respond critically to works in the arts and humanities.

F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted